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Title: MONOCLONAL ANTIBODIES TO TACROLIMUS AND IMMUNOASSAY
METHODS FOR TACROLIMUS

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Jay Johnson

PETITION FOR A TWO MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

Honorable Commissioner for Patents
Box AF
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Sir:

Applicants petition for a two month extension of time to respond to the above-identified application's outstanding Office Action dated November 6, 2001, said period of response being extended from February 6, 2002 to April 6, 2002. and our check for \$400 covering the fee for a large entity is enclosed.

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Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Michael B. Farber", written over a horizontal line.

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Date: March 25, 2002

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